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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-4 without prejudice and insert therefore new Claims 5-18. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

- 1-4 (Canceled)
- 5. (New) A method for the treatment of attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder comprising administering to a subject in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of the compound of formula I:

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 6. (New) The method of Claim 5 wherein the mesylate salt of the compound of formula I is administered to the subject.
 - 7. (New) The method of Claim 5 wherein the subject is a human male.
- 8. (New) The method of Claim 7 wherein the subject is a human male aged 5-18 years.
- 9. (New) The method of Claim 5 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the combined type.
- 10. (New) The method of Claim 5 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the predominantly inattentive type.
- 11. (New) The method of Claim 5 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the predominantly hyperactive-impulse type.

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12. (New) A method for the prevention of attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder comprising administering to a subject in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of the compound of formula I:

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- 13. (New) The method of Claim 12 wherein the mesylate salt of the compound of formula I is administered to the subject.
 - 14. (New) The method of Claim 12 wherein the subject is a human male.
- 15. (New) The method of Claim 14 wherein the subject is a human male aged 5-18 years.
- 16. (New) The method of Claim 12 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the combined type.
- 17. (New) The method of Claim 12 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the predominantly inattentive type.
- 18. (New) The method of Claim 12 wherein the attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder is of the predominantly hyperactive-impulse type.